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DRESDEN CHINA.
First Offered For Sale at the Fair
of Leipzig, 1721.
Dresden china began its reign at the
fair of Leipzig, 1721, where it was of-
fered for public sale for the first time.
It has had three periods—King's, Mar-
coline and modern—and for all around
use it continues to be the most popular
ware of this day.
The factory marks traced on the bot-
tom of each piece vary according to the
period—the oldest (King's) being the
monogram A. R. and the wamp of Es-
culapius. The familiar crossed swords,
with the dot or circle between the han-
dles, were first used in 1721, and the star
took the place of the dot in the Mar-
coline period. The modern mark is the
simple crossed swords, sometimes
accompanied by letters and numbers.
Although the methods of work are
still jealously guarded in all factories,
the essentials are an open secret, and
the following rough outline may satisfy
the lazily curious. The ingredients of
porcelain are kaolin feldspar, sand
and soda. These are ground fine and
mixed in lime-water. The paste is then
molded into forms and fired in an oven
of moderate heat. When taken out, it
is in an opaque state and is then dipped
in the glaze, which is feldspar ground
fine, with a little alkali. It is now sub-
jected to a firing of great heat, which
results in the beautiful polished sur-
face so familiar the world over.
This second firing is attended with
risk, for if the piece is allowed to re-
main beyond the exact proper moment
the whole melts together and is ruined.
How a Glass Eye Acts.
A glass eye has never so free a range
of movement as the real one, and when
the owner turns his eyes strongly in
any direction the glass eye lags behind
the other, so producing a squint. Then
the pupil of the glass eye is of course
of a fixed size, while the natural pupil
dilates and contracts not only with
varying amounts of light, but with
varying emotions. Then again, the
white of the eye varies in tint greatly
from day to day, being slightly blood-
shot during headaches and yellow dur-
ing bilious attacks. The differences in
color between the two eyes caused by
these changes are even more easily no-
ticed than the differences in the pupils.
The Camel's Bite.
The camel alone of all mammals has
incisor teeth in the upper jaw, which,
with the peculiar structure of his other
teeth, make his bite, the animal's first
and main defense, most formidable.
The skeleton of the camel is full of
proofs of design. Notice, for example,
the arched backbone, constructed in
such a way as to sustain the greatest
weight in proportion to the span of the
supports. A strong camel can bear a
thousand pounds weight, although the
usual load in Yemen is not more than
600 pounds.
How a Boy Explained a Parable.
There is no saying how the average
small boy sometimes regards religious
truth. A London paper records that the
son of a well known bishop being asked
to explain the meaning of the
parable of the grain of mustard seed
replied, "It means that a little religion
goes a long way, and those who have
the least of it here will be highest in
the kingdom of heaven."—Leslie's
Weekly.
Not Dangerous.
"I hear you want to sell your dog,
Pat. They tell me he has a pedigree."
"Bhure, an' Oi niver noticed it, sor.
Anyhow, he's nothin' but a puppy yit,
an' Oi'm thinkin' how he'll be a fine
outgrowin' it, sor."—Glasgow Times.
There is no man easier to deceive
than he who has hopes, for he aids in
his own deceit.—Boswell.
Never Rushes the Growler.
"Do you drink pale beer, Miss Mil-
waukee?"
"No, indeed; papa buys our beer in
bottles."—Boston Christian Register.
The fixed capital in agriculture in the
United States is four times that in
manufactures.
Littigants' Requisites.
An old English solicitor used to say
a man's requirements for going to law
were ten in number, and he summed
them up as follows: First, plenty of
money; secondly, plenty of patience;
thirdly, a good case; fourthly, a good
solicitor; fifthly, plenty of money;
sixthly, a good counsel; seventhly, a
good witness; eighthly, a good jury;
ninthly, a good judge; tenthly, plenty
of money.
Badly Behind Time.
"Charley, dear," said young Mrs. Mor-
kins, "isn't it a pity that the morning
newspapers are so much behind time?"
"In what respect?"
"Why, they never print the name of
the winner of a horse race until the
next day, when it is too late to bet!"
Jim Dumps was a most unfriendly man
who lived his life on a hermit plan.
He'd never stop for a friendly smile,
But brudged along in his moody style
Till "Force" one day was served to him—
Since then they call him "Sunny Jim."
The Ready-to-Serve Cereal
a better builder
than a vacation.
Never Tires of It.
"I am considerably advanced towards eighty years
of age. I have of late been almost regu-
larly put to bed by the very goodnight proposition, which you have
kindly designated as 'Force.' Never tire of it."
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Perfect Respiration.
For perfect respiration two things
are necessary—chest capacity and
breath control. The average individual,
woman especially, uses but a limited
portion of the lungs and upper chest
in ordinary breathing. Whenever a
little unusual physical effort makes de-
mand for an extra breathing capacity,
note how she puffs and pants, almost
to a point of gasping. The reason for
this is that the muscles of the lower
chest, waist and abdomen have become
weak and atrophied through neglect
and abuse. They are stiff and unre-
sponsive and have now to be coaxed
back to a condition of activity and
obedience.
It is quite as possible to educate
these muscles so that they shall re-
spond to our slightest demand as it is
that our hands are trained to do our
bidding. Different teachers will ad-
vocate different forms of breathing—up-
per chest, side chest, lower chest and
abdominal breathing—but what we
most want is absolute control, such
control of the muscles as shall enable
us to make use of any desired form of
breathing at the word of command, for
all forms have special values. Full up-
per chest breathing is used most, but
lower chest and abdominal breathing
are very valuable in cases of nervous-
ness, indigestion, stomach and bowel
troubles.
An Old Recipe.
Here is a recipe for the bite of a mad
dog taken from the "Universal Maga-
zine of Knowledge," published by John
Hinton at the King's Arms in Newgate
street, London, May, 1753: "Take the
youngest shoots of the elder tree, peel
off the outside rind, then, scraping off
the green rind, take two handfuls of
it, which simmer a quarter of an hour
in five pints of ale. Strain it off and
when cold put it in bottles. Take
half a pint, make warm the first thing
in the morning and the last at night
and be sure to keep yourself warm;
also bathe the part affected with some
of the liquor warmed, the dose to be
repeated the next new or full moon
after the first. It is good for cattle as
well as the human species."
Whims of a Horse.
The better the horse the more spirit he
has. The disposition of an Arab
hunter is thus described by Sewell
Ford in "Horses Nine": No paragon,
however, was Pasha. He had a tem-
per, and his whims were as many as
those of a schoolgirl. He was particu-
lar as to who put on his bridle. He had
notions concerning the manner in
which a currycomb should be used. A
red ribbon or a handanna handkerchief
put him in a rage, while green, the holy
color of the Mohammedan, soothed his
nerves. A lively pair of heels he had,
and he knew how to use his teeth.
Animals in Fire.
When Cyprus was the center of the
copper industry, it is asserted that a
four footed animal with wings lived in
the hottest furnaces among the fire and
furnaces that it would not be uneasy
upon being removed from its natural
element, the flames. The salamander
of old was also a creature which did
not dread the fire. Some say that it
could eat fire and spit flames, others
that its breath would ignite all combus-
tibles. Pliny says, "This animal is so
intensely cold as to extinguish fire by
its contact in the same way that ice
doth."
The Site of the White House.
The site for the president's palace,
as the first map made it, was selected
by President Washington and Major
L'Enfant when they laid out the fed-
eral city in 1792. They proposed to
have the president's house and the cap-
itol reciprocally close to the long vista
formed by Pennsylvania avenue, and
they also laid out a parklike connection
between the two great buildings. The
plans for the house, selected by Wash-
ington and Jefferson as the result of a
competition in which L'Enfant took
part, were drawn by James Hoban, a
native of Dublin and a medal man of
the Society of Arts of that city—
Charles Moore in Century.
Produced the Desired Effect.
Kate, when two years old, was fond
of climbing. One day when her mother
was in an adjoining room she called
excitedly:
"Oh, mamma, mamma, come quick!"
Her mother, thinking she was in dan-
ger, hastened to her to find her stand-
ing quietly beside the table.
"Why do you call that way?" she
said. "I thought you were falling."
"I wanted that cup, and I called you
that way so you would hurry."—Little
Chronicle.
Why Johnny Went to Bed Sleepless.
"What is the matter with this horse-
radish, Maria?" asked the father of the
family. "It looks mused up."
"What's the reason they call it horse-
radish, papa?" inquired Johnny. "I of-
fered it to the horse a little while ago
an' he wouldn't touch it."—Chicago
Tribune.
There is no use growing excited when
a map calls you a liar. If you are one,
you know it before he told you, and if
you are not you know he is.—Baltimore
American.
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STARTING A TRADE.
The New England Peddler and the
Secret of His Success.
"Peddlin's a great business. The se-
cret of it is that you must do a trade,
even if it hurts your principles, when
there's a possible chance. I remember
Jow I once managed with an old fel-
low who wouldn't hev nothin' to do
with me. He was so confident an' sure
he wasn't goin' to trade that I made up
my mind he'd got to. I've got wooden
nutmegs, pocket sawmills, says I, 'an'
horn gun, flauto, basswood hams, tin
bangles, calico bag troughs, white
oak cheese an' various other articles
too numerous to mention, includin' of
cast iron ratholes, an' if any of them
ain't big enough to answer I'll knock
the bottom out of a fryin' pan, an'
that'll let any rat through that you've
got, I guess. Whoop!" says I. 'I'm from
way in the mountings of Hepzidam,
where the lion roareth an' the whang-
doodle scoureth for her firstborn!' The
old man just looked on and shuk his
head. 'I'll take pewter, copper, zinc, iron,
rags—anything,' says I, 'exceptin' money
an' old mads.' But the old man on'y
shuk his head.
"I just simply had to start a trade.
I saw a pair of old boots, an' I said
there was just what I wanted. 'What?'
he says. 'D'ye buy old boots?' an' I
said there was my partickler specialty.
'How much d'ye give?' he asks, an' I
says, 'Half a cent a pound, 's long as
half cents is coined,' says I. He didn't
take no heed of my meanin', but began
to unmaynag round and git out three
or four pairs. They wasn't no good to
me, but I was startin' a trade.
'Now, hain't yer got some rags?' I says.
There was what I asked for first, an'
the old miser said he didn't hev none,
but now, stirred up by the chancin of
gitthin' somethin' fer his old boots, he
brought out seventeen pound of rags,
an' we done a brisk bit of tradin' fer
thware. I left the old boots settin'
beside the gate when I druv away.
'Them 'll come in handy to start anoth-
er trade on next time I come,' I says."
—Julian Ralph in Harper's Magazine.
KNOWING TOO MUCH.
Some Serious Drawbacks to the
Pleasures of Conversation.
One very serious drawback to our
pleasure in conversation with a too
well informed person is the nervous
strain that is involved. We are always
wondering what will happen when he
comes to the end of his resources. Af-
ter listening to one who discourses with
surprising accuracy upon any particu-
lar topic we feel a delicacy in changing
the subject. It seems a mean trick,
like suddenly removing the chair on
which a guest is about to sit down for
the evening. With one who is interest-
ed in a great many things he knows
a little about there is no such difficulty.
If he has passed the first flush of
youth, he no longer embarrasses him-
to be caught now and then in a mistake.
Indeed, your correction is welcomed as
an agreeable interruption and serves
as a starting point for a new series of
observations.
The pleasure of conversation is en-
hanced if one feels assured not only of
wide margins of ignorance, but also of
the absence of any uncanny quickness
of mind.
I should not like to be a neighbor to
a wit. It would be like being in prox-
imity to a live wire. A certain insulat-
ing film of kindly stupidity is needed
to give a margin of safety to human in-
tercourse. There are certain minds
whose processes convey the impression
of alternating currents of high voltage
and a wire that is not quite large enough
for them. From such I would with-
draw myself.
One is freed from all such apprehen-
sions in the companionship of people
who make no pretensions to any kind
of cleverness. "The laughter of fools
is like the crackling of thorns under a
pot." What cheerful sounds—the crack-
ling of the dry thorns and the merry
bubbling of the pot!—S. M. Crothers in
Atlantic.
Red Flannel Currency.
A Scotch missionary to a group of
small islands in the south Pacific a
great many years ago found bits of red
flannel circulating as money. This cur-
rency came to them in a curious man-
ner. The body of a shipwrecked sailor
had drifted ashore, and to the untor-
mented savages, who had never before
seen clothing of any kind, his red flannel
shirt was an object of wonder and
admiration. By common consent they
cut the garment into small pieces,
which thenceforth became the curren-
cy of the island.
Lovemaking in Mexico.
In northwest Mexico the courting is
all done by the lady. The young people
meet at the feast, and there the dam-
sel who has fixed upon a member of
the opposite sex whom she wishes to
become her husband tries to attract his
attention by dancing before him, per-
sistently keeping her back turned to-
ward him. Eventually she may sit
down near him and pull his blanket
and sing to him in a gentle, low voice.
When she desires to bring matters to a
focus, she begins to throw pebbles at
the chosen one. If he throws them
back at her, they are betrothed.
Eyes With Double Pupils.
Cicero says that "the glance of all
women with the double pupil in the eye
is noxious, blighting and withering."
Cadmus tells us that such persons
would not drown. Still others say that
if they did drown the body would nev-
er sink, neither would it decay. They
could cure the disease of the chest—
consumption—by rubbing their perspi-
ration on the affected parts of the Indi-
vidual, and in case the double pupils
were red instead of black they could
cure the lepers and the blind.
Politician and Statesman.
"Maw, what's de difference between
er politician and er statesman?"
"Well, honey, a mushroom's good
ain't it?"
"Yes, um."
"And a toadstool is pizen, ain't it?"
"Yes, um."
"And dey bot look alike?"
"Yes, um."
"Des same difference from a states-
man to a politician?"—Exchange.

SAILOR AND HORSE.
How the Retired Sea Captain Made
a Purchase.
In "Horses Nine" Sewell Ford tells
how a retired sea captain bought a
horse. The story runs: As one who in-
spects an unfamiliar object Captain
Bean looked dazedly at Barnacles. At
the same time Barnacles inspected the
captain. With head lowered to knee
level, with ears cocked forward, nos-
trils sniffling and under lip twitching
almost as if he meant to laugh, Bar-
nacles eyed his prospective owner.
Captain Bean squirmed under the
gaze of Barnacles' big, calm eye for a
moment, and then shifted his position.
"What in time does he want any-
way, Jed?" demanded the captain.
"Wants to get acquainted, that's all,
cap'n." Mighty knowin' horse, he is.
Now, some horses don't take notice of
anything. They're just naturally dumb.
Then ag'in you'll find horses that seem
to know every blamed word you say.
Them's the kind of horses that's wuth
havin'."
"S'pose he knows all the ropes, Jed?"
"I should say he did, cap'n. If there's
anything that hoss ain't done in his
day, I don't know what 'tis. Near's I
can and out he's tried every kind of
work, in or out of traces, that he can
could think of."
"Must be some old by your tell," sug-
gested the captain. "Sure his timbers
are all sound?"
"Dunno 'bout his timbers, cap'n, but
as fer wind an' limb you won't find a
sounder hoss of his age in this country.
Course I'm not sellin' him fer a four-
year-old."
Again Captain Bean tried to look
critically at the white horse, but once
more he met that calm, curious gaze,
and the attempt was hardly a success.
However, the captain squinted solemn-
ly over Barnacles' withers and re-
marked:
"Yes, he has got some good lines, as
you say, though you wouldn't hardly
call him clipper built. Not much sheer
forward an' a little too much aft, eh?"
"At this criticism Jed snorted mirth-
fully.
"Oh, I s'pose he's all right," quickly
added the captain. "Fact is I ain't
never paid much attention to horses,
bein' on the water so much. You're
sure he's a real helm, Jed?"
"Oh, he'll go where you'll let him."
"Won't drag anchor, will he?"
"Stand all day if you'll let him."
"Well, Jed, I'm ready to sign ar-
ticles, I guess."
ORIGIN OF OLD SAYINGS.
The Honeymoon.—For thirty days
after a wedding the ancient Teutons
had a custom of drinking a mead made
of honey.
The Bridegroom.—In primitive times
the newly wedded man had to wait
upon his bride and the guests on his
wedding day. He was their groom.
Staleness of Food.—King
David greatly pleased with a roast loin of
beef set before him, declared it "good
enough to be knighted." It has ever
since been called Sir Loin.
A Spinster.—Women were prohibited
from marrying in olden times until
they had spun a full set of bed fur-
nishings on the spinning wheel; hence,
till married, they were spinsters.
Cabal.—This word was coined in
Charles II.'s reign and applied to his
cabinet council. It was made out of
the initials of their names, which were:
Clifford, Arlington, Buckingham, Ash-
ley, Lauderdale.
Scandinavian Carving.
From earliest times carving has re-
ceived great attention in Scandinavia.
One sees evidence of this in many Swe-
dish churches, both in wood and stone,
dating back many centuries. In Stock-
holm are many to be found, now safe-
ly cared for in a well known museum.
Some of these northern churches, not-
ably those of Borgund and Hitterdal,
are quite covered with such quaint or-
namentation. Beyond such public ex-
pression of painstaking labor one may
see in almost any comfortably furnis-
hed house wooden forks, spoons, salt
boxes and platters, but still more at-
tracting attention are huge wooden
tankards, and these will often bear
close study both in design and in ex-
ecution.
Red Flannel Currency.
A Scotch missionary to a group of
small islands in the south Pacific a
great many years ago found bits of red
flannel circulating as money. This cur-
rency came to them in a curious man-
ner. The body of a shipwrecked sailor
had drifted ashore, and to the untor-
mented savages, who had never before
seen clothing of any kind, his red flannel
shirt was an object of wonder and
admiration. By common consent they
cut the garment into small pieces,
which thenceforth became the curren-
cy of the island.

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Ladies' Summer Skirts, made of covert cloth; nicely trimmed;.....\$1.25
Ladies' Crash Skirts, trimmed with blue braid; now on sale for.....75c
Ladies' Muslin Skirts, made of fine cambric, trimmed with fine valencienne lace; worth \$1.25; on sale.....95c
Ladies' Muslin Nightgowns—trimmed with fine embroidery; on sale.....50c
The Truthful Pioneer.
"One day," said the truthful pioneer, "I was whacking up some wood down by the creek, and ten Indians loomed up. They were pretty tricky even for Indians, and they said they knew I had a jug somewhere, and they wanted to sample it. I had a log about half split at the time, and the ax was sticking in it. I told them if they would help me get that log in two I would show them where the jug was. So they took hold, five on one side and five on the other, and pulled. And when I took the ax out the log sprang together and held them all by the fingers. Then I walked away to the house and loaded the shotgun and three or four pistols and then went back and argued with them, and they reformed right away." This story, says the Nebraska State Journal, was originally told of Daniel Boone or Davy Crockett and has done good service ever since. It is not copy-righted, however, and there is no good reason why Nebraska pioneers should not use it.
The Wild Graffe.
Perhaps the most difficult of all wild animals to capture is the graffe. In addition to being very rare graffes are exceedingly timid and are very swift footed. There is no special way to capture a graffe, as almost every way has been tried, and all have been almost equally unsuccessful. The method which has occasionally resulted in a capture is by using a long cord, at each end of which is a round weight. This cord is thrown by the hunter in such a manner as to wind round the animal's legs, either bringing it to the ground or rendering it incapable of escaping before it is made a prisoner. Most of the graffes in captivity have been caught by chance when young.
Lovemaking in Mexico.
In northwest Mexico the courting is all done by the lady. The young people meet at the feast, and there the dam-
sel who has fixed upon a member of the opposite sex whom she wishes to become her husband tries to attract his attention by dancing before him, per-
sistently keeping her back turned to-
ward him. Eventually she may sit down near him and pull his blanket and sing to him in a gentle, low voice. When she desires to bring matters to a focus, she begins to throw pebbles at the chosen one. If he throws them back at her, they are betrothed.
Eyes With Double Pupils.
Cicero says that "the glance of all women with the double pupil in the eye is noxious, blighting and withering."
Cadmus tells us that such persons would not drown. Still others say that if they did drown the body would never sink, neither would it decay. They could cure the disease of the chest—consumption—by rubbing their perspiration on the affected parts of the individual, and in case the double pupils were red instead of black they could cure the lepers and the blind.
Politician and Statesman.
"Maw, what's de difference between er politician and er statesman?"
"Well, honey, a mushroom's good ain't it?"
"Yes, um."
"And a toadstool is pizen, ain't it?"
"Yes, um."
"And dey bot look alike?"
"Yes, um."
"Des same difference from a statesman to a politician?"—Exchange.
Queer African Mask.
Grotesque masks are worn in many parts of Africa during dances and religious ceremonies. The reason is because a symbolic significance is attached to them and they are especially supposed to possess the power of preserving those who wear them from the influence of evil spirits.
The masks are generally made of wood, and some are carved with rare skill. When a chief or the head of a family dies, he leaves his mask to his successor, and the latter is bound to wear it. In every village there is an artist who repairs masks and occasionally makes a few new ones, and it is said that no one does a more thriving business than he.
Ethnologists have been trying to find out the exact time when these masks first came into use, but all they have learned as yet is that they have been popular in Africa for many centuries.
Charity With a Free Hand.
Tramp—is dis all yer kin gimme—er cupful uv cold water?
Kind Lady—Of course not. You can have as many cupfuls as you want—Chicago News.
Holding their end up in society is the heaviest burden borne by the husbands of ambitious women.—Schoolmaster.
Dissected.
Willie—Ma, can people leave parts of themselves in different places?
Ma—No. Don't be ridiculous.
Willie—Well, Mr. Jiggs said he was going to the Adirondacks for his lungs.



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R. WEBB - - - Editor and Manager

FRIDAY.....MAY 8, 1903

TO CORRESPONDENTS.
We look to the friends of the Ledger to keep us posted concerning events of public interest happening in any part of the county. Our regular correspondents will be furnished with writing material and stamps for this purpose. Births, deaths, marriages, accidents, amusements, mining and other industrial progress, social topics, new buildings, persons leaving or coming into the county, are always acceptable. Give details of important items, no matter how rough a shape. Avoid personal remarks that might give offense. Visitors from towns in the county need not be mentioned, but visits from or to places beyond the county may be recorded.

MUST BE PUBLIC.

Section 4035 of the political code, referring to the board of supervisors, says:

"All meetings of the board must be public."

How strangely at variance is this command with the practice of going into "executive" session, which is getting so common in this county as to be looked upon as a feature of every monthly meeting of the board. At the meeting of the board held this week, another of these secret sessions was held. The people of Amador county, whose servants the supervisors are, would like to know what business affecting their interests requires transaction, or even discussion, behind closed doors. And in face of the above mandatory provision, what right has the board, as such, to hold any meeting without the hearing of the public, and without even the presence of the clerk or any other official. When one of these "executive" conclaves is called, not only the spectators, but the clerk and the district attorney, and all other county officials are expected to clear out of the assembly room at the same time. The supervisors want to be left alone with themselves. The idea is not only in conflict with legal requirements; it is absurd upon its face. Think of it? The people of Amador county have business of such a delicate nature to transact that they don't want to reveal the nature of it even to themselves. That is the logical conclusion to be drawn from these so-called "executive" sessions. And we have no hesitation in saying that out a dissenting voice, will revolt against the idea of being placed in such a light.

NO FREE ADVERTISING.

In future, the publishers of this paper will not insert any article, item or notice, which in any manner will serve as an advertisement, without charging therefor in accordance with the advertising rates, (within its classification), as are established by this paper.—Angels Echo.

The Ledger extends the glad hand to the Echo for the decisive stand it has taken on this proposition. It is the only straightforward and honorable course for a publisher to follow. If any person has anything that he wants published in the local paper that is intended to be of pecuniary benefit to him, he should be willing to pay a fair price for the publisher's services. If he is not willing to pay for the service, the publisher should have the stamina to refuse to do it for glory. It behooves every country publisher, from strictly business considerations, and in defense of the dignity of his calling, to adopt the above rule. But we regret to say that all newspaper men do not take the same common sense view of the matter. And while our Calaveras county contemporary is taking firm ground toward the emancipation of the profession from a crying evil, a brother editor in Amador county is, and has been for years past, flying the following dishonorable proclamation at the head of his columns:

The Dispatch desires to publish all announcements of socials, festivals, etc., that are going on. All such notices of entertainments will be published one insertion free, as a matter of news.

What a contrast. The Angels paper is striving to elevate the business, the Amador paper to degrade and destroy it.

The superior judges of San Francisco have given an opinion that is likely to have a disquieting effect upon those who have been divorced and married within the last sixty days. This time covers the period between the passage of the new law relating to divorces and its going into effect. May 1 is the date of its becoming operative. It was intended to do away with the so-called Reno marriages; that is the practice which has grown to be so common of persons, in order to evade the provision of the California law requiring a period of one year to elapse between divorce and remarriage, of having the marriage ceremony performed in Reno immediately following the granting of a divorce in California. The present law seeks to avoid this by providing that a decree of divorce shall not become absolute until after the lapse of one year from the granting of such decree. The sixty days interval how-

ever has been interpreted as a sort of neutral ground. The old law was annulled and the new law was not in force, so it was assumed that divorced parties could remarry wherever and whenever they pleased within the sixty days. A rushing business was done in most of the counties. Now the courts have spread consternation in the camp of the speedy marriages by declaring that the old law was operative during the interval. This means that those who have been divorced and remarried in California are not legally married. And they cannot now be married according to law until the lapse of a full year from the granting of the divorce.

On the other hand other eminent law expounders contend that these marriages are not contrary to law. And so things are pretty thoroughly muddled. Judges and lawyers are at loggerheads on such a vital subject as marriage. And it all comes of the spirit of monkeying with the laws concerning questions which should remain fixed and stable, which seems to be a controlling factor with the law-making body.

The board of supervisors have let a contract to put a new roof on the court house, the material decided upon being tin. The present roof is of shingles. It is in a fair state of preservation to-day, barring one or two spots. It has done service for seven or eight years. The waterproof character of a wood roof, properly laid, is conceded; the only drawback being the danger from fire—a danger from which a public building should be safeguarded as far as possible in the nature of its roofing material. Those who have had experience with tin roofs in this climate—where the temperature varies during summer months as much as 80 degrees in 24 hours—are not enthused on the subject. The contraction and expansion of the metal has proved a source of constant annoyance from leaks. The strong tendency is to turn to some other fire proof material in preference. It is hoped the county will meet with better success in this line than has attended the efforts of private individuals.

The question whether the new law providing salary for justices and constables is applicable to present incumbents, is now before the court for settlement. The issue is clean-cut on the merits of the case. James McCauley, a justice of the peace elected in June, brings suit for salary according to the provisions of the new law. It is likely, whichever way the matter is decided, that the case will be appealed to the supreme court for final settlement. At any rate it is sincerely to be hoped that it will reach the highest tribunal.

FROM PLYMOUTH.

PLYMOUTH, May 6th.
Miss Naomi Thoms left last week for Los Angeles to visit her sister, Mrs. English.

Mrs. Brown went below last week. Frank Norris came up from Oakland last Friday to visit relatives.

Mr. C. Freeman and family moved from the Barney ranch this week to town.

Miss Maude Brown of Shenandoah Valley was a visitor in town Saturday. The Postoffice was moved from the Phillips building to that of Doman's yesterday, Mr. Thoms being our new postmaster.

Messames Ella Adams and Susie Culbert went to Michigan Bar Monday.

Mrs. M. Behlow and son of San Francisco are here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Levaggi went to West Point Monday for a few days' visit.

Messames Farris and Hammock of Sutter Creek were noted as visitors in town today.

Mrs. Palmer of Sacramento is here as the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. L. Wait.

John McGregor has purchased the house belonging to Mrs. J. Hall, and he and wife will take possession in a short time.

Willis Carter made a hasty visit to his home in Auburn last Sunday.

Memorial day was remembered by Forrest Parlor, N. D. G. W. last Sunday.

Miss Lottie O'Toole is employed by Mrs. Ella Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Purcell and Mrs. T. K. Norman of Jackson visited Mrs. John Doman of this place last Sunday.

SUPERIOR COURT.

RON. R. C. RUST, JUDGE.

Estate of Antonio Nicolini—Final account of administrator, and petition for discharge filed. May 12 appointed for hearing same.

Estate of Andrew McKenzie—Geo. M. Huberty applies for letters of administration. May 16 appointed for hearing same.

Estate of William Shehady—Geo. M. Huberty petitions for letters of administration. May 16 appointed for hearing same.

NEW SUITS.
Estate of Joseph Larro, also known as Joseph La Rowe—Vina C. Blanchett petitions for letters of administration. The petition sets forth that Joseph Larro died in the city of Stockton March 7, 1903, and at the time of his death was a resident of Amador county. He left community property valued at \$400, consisting of 160 acres in section 9 township 5 range 10. The heirs are Clemence Larro, widow, aged 71 years, and Malvina Blanchett, residing at Ritchey, Joseph Larro, residing at Stockton, and Charles Larro, a resident of Sacramento. Clemence Larro renounces her right to letters of administration in favor of the petitioner.

People vs. W. R. Forbes—Information filed, charging defendant with assault with deadly weapon.

J. J. Ekel vs. W. Phillips and A. L. Wait—On appeal from justice's court of township five. Plaintiff sued for the sum of \$299.99 for damages. The complaint alleges that defendants, on the evening of November 23, 1902, at the Adams hotel in Plymouth, did by force and violence lay hands upon plaintiff, and took him to a building in the rear of the Central hotel, known as the old bell tower, a distance of 100 yards from the Adams hotel, a very improper building in which to place a person, and detained said defendant there the entire night, exposed to cold and darkness, without any comforts in the way of fire, clothing or bedding, without authority of law. On plaintiff's motion for change of venue the case was transferred to the justice court of township four and tried before a jury on March 31. It was shown at the trial that the plaintiff at time of arrest was walking up and down the floor with pistol in hand, under the influence of liquor; that he drew a gun on Arthur Pritchard and shot at him. The jury returned a verdict in favor of defendant. Plaintiff appeals the case to superior court. The cost bill of defendants amounts to \$22.60.

James McCauley, as Justice of the Peace of Township 2, vs. C. L. Culbert as Auditor of Amador county—Petition for writ of mandate to compel said auditor to make out and deliver to petitioner a warrant on the county treasurer for the sum of \$35 as salary from the 1st day of April to 1st day of May, 1903. W. J. McGee and W. H. Willis attorneys for petitioner. Set for hearing on the 16th day of May, 1903.

CAMP OPRA.

CAMP OPRA, May 3.—Mrs. Chas. Howell of Burlington, Iowa, is visiting here. Mrs. E. A. Hunsley of this place.

Quite an excitement was caused by the destruction of a house on the Yager & Frederickson property here recently. The fire is supposed to have caught from fire left burning in the cook stove.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Horton had a very enjoyable dancing and card party at their home on April 24.

A picnic party of 17 neighbors and friends spent Saturday on Waters Hill near here. They climbed to the top, from which a magnificent view of all the surrounding country may be had. All expressed themselves as well repaid for their climb. Luncheon was spread under the wide spreading branches of live oaks, and all did ample justice to the feast, for each one there had brought a hearty appetite along.

F. H.

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BORN.

HEWITT—In Jackson, May 4, 1903, to Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt, a son.

VIGNA—In Jackson, May 4, 1903, to Jos. Vigna and wife, a daughter.

MARRIED.

HAMMACK—LEFEBRE—in Sacramento, April 29, 1903, Fred Hammack to Miss Helena Lefebre, both of Sacramento county.

CROCKER—ANDREWS—in San Andreas, May 2, 1903, by P. H. Keen, J. P. Chas. Crocker of Jackson, to Ellen J. Andrews of San Francisco.

DIED.

MORROW—Near Jackson, May 3, 1903, Rufus M. Morrow, a native of Ohio, aged 70 years.

GREENHALGH—In Jackson, May 4, 1903, Thomas Bailey Greenhalgh, a native of England, aged 76 years.

FULLEN—Near Onedda mine, May 7, 1903, George Fullen, a native of Ireland, aged 51 years and 23 days.

KELLEY—At Paloma, April 30, 1903, Mrs. Maggie Kelley, a native of New Jersey, aged 29 years.

ROBERTS—In June, May 5, 1903, Dr. A. N. Roberts, of Volcano, a native of Massachusetts, aged 29 years.

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DOCUMENTS RECORDED.

[The following instruments have been filed for record in the recorder's office since our last report. We publish a complete list of documents recorded, and must decline to accede to any request to suppress any document from these columns. Don't ask us to do so.]

DEEDS.
Mary Ives Crocker to Bernhard Hammer—N¹ of NW¹ of sec 21 twp 5 n r 9 e, 30 acres; \$10.

T. K. Norman, sheriff, to S. N. Knight and L. Ostlinger—Tri Mountain quartz mine and machinery, etc., \$2850.36.

Ella Blackman and husband to Jos. L. Swann—Land in Lancha Plana; \$10.

Mrs. Lillian Hall and husband to John McGregor—Land in Plymouth; \$125.

Edwin Hammack to Louis J. Beeve—Last Chance quartz mine near Amador City; \$10.

Edward Jeffery to Emily Jane Jeffery—Land in Amador City; love and affection.

MARK AND BRAND.

May Barnett.

R. and J. Ellis.

AGREEMENT.

J. W. Croff et al to Cooperative M. and M. Company—Relative to mining claim in Fiddletown district; \$1.

CERTIFICATE OF REDEMPTION.

Edwin Hammack—House and lot in Amador City; \$11.10.

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

Wm. Pollard to Mary J. Pollard.

SATISFACTION OF MORTGAGES.

E. S. Potter to G. A. Upton et ux.

John Edinger to Geo. L. Clark et ux.

John Lovaggi to Maggie Fagan.

Bank of Amador County to Wm. A. Hipkins.

MORTGAGES.

Maggie Fagan to John Lovaggi—Lot 5 block 19 Sutter Creek; \$350.

Joseph L. Swann to L. M. Earle—Land in Lancha Plana; \$500.

Geo. L. Clark and wife to King Lott—Land and personal property in Plymouth; \$350.

Thomas C. Stowers Jr. to Thomas C. Stowers—SE¹ of NE¹ and N¹ of SE¹ and NE¹ of SW¹ of sec 12 twp 7 n r 11 e; \$300.

John G. Matthis to N. P. Williams—280 acres in secs 17, 18, 20, 29, twp 7 n r 10 e; \$400.

LEASE.

Alma Gold Mining Co. to David Matthey—Surface of Alma mine near Jackson; \$100 a year for five years.

LOCATION OF MINING CLAIM.

O. M. Henry et al—Spears Flat placer mining claim, Oleta district.

The Wastes of the Body.

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Money in Treasury.

By official count made May 4, the amount of money in the county treasury was found to be as follows:

Gold.....\$18,205.00
Silver.....14,765.37
Checks.....8,101.83
Currency.....2,880.00
Warrants uncancelled.....7,813.97
Total.....\$51,855.17

Uncalled-for Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the Jackson, Cal., postoffice, for the week ending May 8, 1903:

Mrs. Jas. Noblett.....Mrs. Fannie Morelio
John Green.....F. E. Frey (2)
Giacomo Cabella.....Josiah Champion
Mrs. Mary Burrow.....Betrigia Oanes

G. C. FOLGER, Postmaster.

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Delinquent Notice.

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Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, Cal. Location of works, Jackson, Amador county, Cal.

NOTICE—There are delinquent upon the following described stock, on account of Assessment No. 10, levied on the 18th day of March, 1903, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders as follows:

No. No. Name. Certificate. Shares. Amount
W. F. Detert.....764 100 \$15.00
Anna E. Pedersen.....815 800 75.00
And in accordance with law and an order of the board of directors, made on the 18th day of March, 1903, a verbal shanty of said stock of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, 330 Sansome street, San Francisco, California, on Monday, the 18th day of May, 1903, at the hour of 12 o'clock M., of said day, to pay delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.HENRY H. PAULSEN, Secretary.
Office—330 Sansome street, San Francisco, Cal. may 13

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

Short News Items of Interest to the Ledger Readers.

Butterick Patterns at Redlick's. For a good potatoe try Caminetti's Burbanks.

Louis Berger of the Fremont mine, was a Jackson visitor this week.

Pioneer Flour is the "Lily of the Valley," the "Pearl of Perfection."

W. H. Willis and John G. Goring returned Sunday evening from the Grand Parlor N. S. G. W.

Mrs. Geo. Smith and Miss Zada Newell of Olea visited Mrs. C. Froelich during the week.

C. W. Schacht, Dentist, Webb building. Hours—9 to 12 a. m.; 1 to 5 p. m. Saturdays 9 to 12 a. m.; 1 to 4 p. m.

Call and see the well lines of ladies' and children's trimmed and untrimmed hats, up-to-date and at bedrock prices. The White House, Jackson.

Children like to give parties and picnics these bright days, grown folks do too. Phone Penny & Moon for the ice cream.

Miss McDonald and Miss Ila Ginochio, who came up from Oakland to attend the funeral of Jack Dwyer, returned Monday.

The name of the Central hotel has been changed to Union hotel. Two new signs have been hoisted out announcing the fact.

Ladies Aid Society of M. E. church will hold a church picnic in Jackson on Saturday, May 23rd, 1903. A more definite notice will be given later.

M. E. church services May 10—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; sermon, subject, "Breaking of Day," 11 a. m.; Epworth League, 7 p. m.; sermon, subject, "Mountains," 7:45 p. m.

While in San Francisco secure accommodations at Hotel McAllister, cor. Van Ness & McAllister Sts. First class family hotel. McAllister St. cars pass the door. may 8-1f

A social dance will be given at Mr. J. Brown's, Jackson Gate, on Saturday, May 16. Good music will be furnished, and raviga and chicken supper. Every one should attend and have a good time.

Delicious and pure ice cream and ice cream soda served daily at our store. Families and lodges served on short notice. F. Cademartori.

A basket picnic will be given by the M. E. Sunday school at Kennedy Heights on Saturday, May 16th, at Martell's grove. A short program and May-pole dance at 2 p. m. Ice cream and other refreshments served. A most cordial invitation extended to all.

Robert Devan and sister, Miss Lottie, were visiting with their brother in Sacramento early in the week. They returned Tuesday evening. While away, Robert was offered a position in a general merchandise store at Georgetown, El Dorado county. He departed Thursday morning to assume his new duties. Undoubtedly he will profit by the change, as he is an exemplary young man and deserving of success.

John Chinn has decided to close the amusements business in connection with his saloon for a while. The last performance was held Sunday evening. The company went away Monday morning. It is said that the place will be closed during the heat of summer, it being inadvisable to run the show business during the hot summer months. This popular place is expected to reopen early in the fall.

Ice cream pure and rich and the best in town, because we have our own cows and use nothing but tested cream. F. Cademartori.

The Rev. Geo. W. Beatty of San Francisco, superintendent of Sunday schools in California, preached at West Point on the 3d, 4th and 5th, and was announced to lecture in Pioneer on Thursday, May 7, on "A bachelor's idea of child training." This evening he will lecture at Pine Grove on "Knowledge is life." Next Sunday he will preach at Franklin, Volcano and Pine Grove. On Saturday evening he will aid in the organization of a Sabbath school at Volcano.

Richard G. Sneath, one of the early pioneers of Amador county, died at the Palace hotel, San Francisco, on Sunday last, aged 77 years. He came to the state in 1850, and first settled in Drytown, Amador county, where he conducted a profitable mercantile business. He moved to San Francisco in the early sixties, and took a prominent part in political and mercantile affairs. He was one of the founders of the Merchant's Exchange and Producer's Exchange of that city.

"Force," a ready-to-serve, ready-to-digest, delightful food, brings the independent strength that comes of health.

The garden seed sent out annually by the department of agriculture is supposed to be of choice varieties. Some poor lots may creep in occasionally, but as a whole there is no doubt of the quality of the seed. John C. Rader, who has a ranch on Stony creek, brought to our office last Saturday, a sample of lettuce grown from department seed received through the Ledger office last year. It was of immense size, measuring over a yard in circumference at the top. It was, moreover, as tender and palatable as it was large. We have still considerable seed on hand which can be had for the asking.

At the banquet given in honor of the grand parlor of N. S. G. W. in Bakersfield April 30, the orator of Amador county, John F. Davis was present, and responded to the toast of "Sweet hearts and wives." The toast was appropriately given the place of last on the program, and we have no doubt that with such a subject in such able hands, the banquets repaired to their respective lodgings as thrilled in mind with eloquence as they were surprised physically with the good things provided. During the evening Senator C. M. Beale, also well known to Amadorans, responded to "Any old things."

TWO PIONEERS PASS AWAY.

THOS. B. GREENHALGH.

Thos. B. Greenhalgh, one of the early pioneers of California, died at his home in Jackson, Monday, May 4, at the age of 75 years, 10 months and 13 days. For a couple of years the deceased has been very feeble, but has been able to be about town until the past three months, during which time he has been confined to his home.

Mr. Greenhalgh was born in Bolton, England, in 1827. When quite a child he came to Fall River, Mass., where he resided until 1848. In November of '48, in company with some two hundred men, he chartered a sailing vessel and enduring the many hardships incident to the voyage around Cape Horn, landed at San Francisco February 27, 1849, and from there journeyed to Jackson, Amador county, where he has lived for the past fifty years. The esteem in which this "Pioneer Pioneer" was held was manifested by the large attendance at the funeral, which took place from the family residence on Court street, Wednesday, May 6, at 2 o'clock p. m. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. G. H. Van Vliet of the M. E. church, were fittingly appropriate to the memory of one who has lived so long and prominently in our community.

As a last brotherly act of affection, J. Meehan, J. Dick, C. Peters, W. P. Peek, H. Goldner, and G. Archer, the remaining Jackson pioneers, attended the funeral in a body, escorted by Excelsior Parlor No. 31, N. S. G. W., and Ursula Parlor No. 1, N. D. G. W. At the grave an appropriate funeral service was read, and kind remarks made by J. Meehan in behalf of the Pioneers.

As a mark of respect, not only to the deceased but as well to the sorrowing relatives, especially W. H. Greenhalgh, who is prominent in the educational interests of Amador county, the Jackson public school was closed for the funeral services, and to further express true sympathy for their co-worker and his brother and sisters in their deep affliction, a handsome floral piece bearing the teachers' card, was noticed among the many beautiful floral offerings.

It can truly be said that the old Greenhalgh home is broken up, for ten years ago the wife and mother of the home, one of those gentle spirits whom everyone loved, departed this life, and now the father has gone, leaving to mourn his death, two sons and two daughters—W. H. Greenhalgh, principal of the Sutter Creek public school, J. J. Greenhalgh of Tuolumne county, Mrs. B. C. O'Neill of Jackson, and Mrs. S. A. Werly of Defender, and to them we extend our sincere sympathy.

RUFUS MARION MORROW. The funeral of R. M. Morrow, who died May 3, took place from the M. E. church in Jackson Tuesday afternoon, May 5, Rev. G. H. Van Vliet officiating. Mr. Morrow's friends were counted by the hundreds, and his burial was assisted by his neighbors from the vicinity of his late home, together with the friends of his family in Jackson.

Rufus Marion Morrow was a native of Ohio, and was born December 16, 1833. At the time of his death, May 3, 1903, he was 69 years, 4 months and 17 days old. He crossed the plains with his parents when only thirteen years of age, arriving in Sonoma in September, 1846, and was present when the Bear flag was hoisted over that town. Mr. Morrow was never a member of the Pioneers, although he was one of the state's earliest settlers. He came to Amador county in the early sixties, and shortly thereafter settled on Stony creek, which place was his home until the time of his death. On April 25, 1865, Mr. Morrow was married to Miss Harriet Tanner, who still survives him, together with three sons and three daughters, and six grandchildren. Also a sister, Mrs. Randolph, and a brother, Chas. Morrow, of Valley Springs.

"Rufe" Morrow, as he was familiarly addressed by his neighbors, was a kind and loving husband and father, and his loss will be felt by all who have become acquainted with his good nature and jovial disposition, and these friends sincerely sympathize with the family in this trying hour.

Log Broken.

A man named A. Araya met with a peculiar but serious accident last Monday. Henry Weil is having an excavation made under his store house in the rear of his lot. The earth is loose, having been placed there in making the excavation for his main street building. On Monday morning Araya was sitting on the bank with a child in his arms watching the men at work. Suddenly the bank where he was seated gave way, and man and child fell into the excavation, with tons of the loose soil. The force of the cave struck Araya on one leg, fracturing it in two places. The child was covered by the debris, but was rescued immediately, and escaped comparatively unharmed. Dr. Phillips was called to attend Araya, and set the broken limb. It will take him a couple of months to get over his injuries.

Off For Blue Lakes.

About twenty men left this morning for Blue Lakes. They were obliged to go by the way of Sacramento and Carson. From the latter place they will go overland to their destination. This roundabout trip is quite expensive, but it is impossible to go via Silver Lake on account of the deep snow in the mountains.

Picnic at Ione.

Large crowds of Jackson people left this morning, bound for the picnic at Ione given by the valley Rebekahs. The day is all that could be wished for, and undoubtedly the dance this evening will be well patronized, as the moon has volunteered its services to "light" everybody home.

P. D. Delaney, formerly of this county, died in January last. Heirs of deceased request that any person having any information about his will communicate to this office. may 8-2t

LOCAL MINING NEWS

Notes From Amador County Mines. Bright Outlook Along the Line.

ZEILA.—This mine is now running full blast. The mill is running only thirty of its forty stamps. The chlorination works were started up last Friday. Fewer men are employed underground than formerly, not merely on account of the reduced number of stamps in motion, but also because the extraction of milling rock is confined at present to about one-third of the ore-body heretofore worked. The thirty stamps are expected to pound out as much, if not more, gold than was obtained from the forty stamps when a less rigorous selection of the ore was in vogue.

KENNEDY.—An accident happened at this mine early Sunday morning at the old shaft, which caused a stoppage of work for one day. The shaft carrying the chive broke, causing the skip to drop several feet, but doing no particular harm. The shafting was taken to Knight's foundry for repairs. The men were laid off one shift. Everything was running again Monday morning.

SOUTH EUREKA.—Under the management of J. Truscott, this property is looking better than it has done for a long time. A body of good pay rock has been discovered on the level recently opened, and the 20 stamp mill is to be started thereon in a few days. The shareholders are in a more jubilant spirit. For ten or twelve years the mine has been worked, costing the stockholders some hundreds of thousands of dollars. The prospect is now considered favorable for some return on their investment.

BOSTON.—It is reported that the Boston mine, which is located on the Calaveras side of the Mokelumne river, opposite the Standard Electric Works, will be started in the near future. A strong company is said to be backing the enterprise. The rock is of low grade, but there is lots of it. There is a small mill on the property, and this, according to rumor, is to be augmented to 100 stamps. With this crushing capacity the mine has a good prospect of becoming a paying venture.

ALMA.—We are told that the deeds for this property have been executed. There was, and still is, some dispute affecting a portion of the premises included within the deed. When the ground was surveyed it was found that the bond called for between four and five acres for which the grantor had no record title. There is also some contention regarding a strip of land fronting on the north fork of Jackson creek, and which was formerly used as a public road. D. Mattley, the grantor, obligates himself to furnish a title to all the land embraced in the deeds. It is reported that an effort will be made soon to float the property, and that foreign capitalists are expected to furnish the money needed to further develop the ground. According to all reports, there is a fair prospect of developing a paying mine. It is conceded to be on the main gold bearing lode. The regular gouge characteristic of the lode, was encountered, and some pay rock struck. It would be in line with the fortune of mining ventures, for the next company that takes hold to develop a big dividend paying property.

Farewell Party. A farewell surprise party was given to Miss Annie Drobatz at her home on the Hamilton addition on Saturday, April 25, on the eve of her departure with her parents to San Jose. Those who participated in this enjoyable affair, were—Girls—Philippa Folger, Hettie May, Emily Angove, Hazel Green, Gwendoline Williams, Emma Piccardo, Grace Folger, Eva Leak, Henrietta Griffin, Ethyl Green, Ethyl Jordan, Mamie Norman, Geraldine Drobatz, Elsie Norman, May Drobatz, Annie Lepley, Frances Drobatz, Annie Drobatz. Boys—Oscar Pettis, Will Norman, John Burk, Ernest Lemm, Willis Folger, Chas. Tam, Bert Jones, Ed Delahide, Albert Parmino, Julius Piccardo, Julius Brescia, John Ratto, Dudley Laughton, Nash Barton.

Card of Thanks.

AMADOR CITY, May 5, 1903. We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to all friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our beloved husband and brother, also for the many beautiful floral offerings. May God bless and reward you all.

HENRY JEFFERY, MRS. E. J. JEFFERY & FAMILY.

Vault and Monument.

A. Frantovich has made a written contract with Frank Hoffman for the erection of a vault and tombstone over the grave of Mrs. Christina Hoffman. The work will far surpass anything of the kind in the cemeteries here at present. Frantovich, our local sculptor, is fully qualified to undertake the costly piece of workmanship. The samples of his handicraft which he has turned out, sufficiently attest his skill and genius in this particular line. The material for the column is to be of Quincy granite, highly polished, and walks leading to the vault are to be of Carrara Italian marble. The contract price for the work is \$1700, everything complete; \$700 already paid on signing the agreement, and the balance on completion of the work. The contractor will enter upon the work at once. He calculates that it will take four months of steady work to complete this work.

A Laudable Ambition.

Miss Josephine Cassella left Jackson Tuesday morning for San Francisco, where she goes to pursue the trained nurse's course at the city and county hospital. Miss Josephine is a graduate of the Jackson grammar school, and deserves much credit for the ambition she has manifested in entering this field of work, and it is earnestly hoped and believed that every success will be hers.

Bad Indeed.

Losing flesh is indeed a bad sign. Take Scott's Emulsion for it. For weak digestion, for defective nourishment, for consumption, take Scott's Emulsion. It restores flesh because it strikes to the cause of the loss.

Bad Indeed.

Floyd Bross of Oregon, has been spending a week with his cousins, the Avis boys. He left for the "webfoot country" this morning.

Take no other, have no other whiskey than "Jesse Moore." It's better than any other, and you can have it for the asking, but get it.

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Additional Locals.

Butterick Patterns at Redlick's.

Give us daily some good bread. Pioneer Flour makes the best.

Geo. Bonnefoy was a passenger for San Francisco Monday morning.

Lemons, oranges, and bananas constantly on hand at Caminetti's Mkt.

J. F. Wilson, Dentist. Hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Phone Main 194. Jackson, Cal.

The fees collected by county officers for the month of April were: County clerk, \$70; recorder, \$107.25.

Everybody has a favorite flavor. Penny & Moon have every flavor of ice cream soda. Their candies are the sweetest thing out.

C. R. Renno, of the Standard Electric Company, went to the city on Wednesday to make final preparations for his summer work at Blue Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Beckman of Lodi, have been the guests of D. Patterson and family for several days this week. Mrs. Beckman is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. LeMoin of the Lodi hotel.

Mrs. Maggie Kelley, a sister of the late Albert Ludwig, died at her home in Paloma, Calaveras county, April 30. She was buried in Jackson Saturday, May 2. Funeral services were held in the M. E. church by Rev. G. H. Van Vliet.

Olives, salami, swiss, limburger, Martin's cream and California cheese at Caminetti's Mkt.

Clarence Jarvis of Sutter Creek, a member of Amador Parlor, N. S. G. W., was elected Grand Trustee at the session of the Grand Parlor held in Bakersfield last week. This is the second honor bestowed on Amador county natives by the Grand Parlor within the last five years.

Little Alta Peak, youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Peak, formerly of Jackson, but now of Oakland, is quite ill with diphtheria. While the relatives and friends are very anxious about the little sufferer, they have great hopes of a speedy recovery.

Fred Hammack and Miss Helena Lefebvre were married in Sacramento on the 29th of April. Both parties were formerly residents of Amador county, the bride being a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gregg of Plymouth, and the groom a grandson of the late Cal Hammack of Amador City.

Will J. Peters, a brother of Mrs. J. W. Caldwell, has just graduated from the pharmacy department of the state university. He will remain in Berkeley for a few days to be present at the commencement exercises, when President Roosevelt is announced to be present and address the students. The many friends of Mr. Peters in Amador City and his success.

Obituary.

George Fullen, after a long illness, incident to extreme age, died at his home, near Martell's station, yesterday morning, May 7. Deceased was born in Ireland, in 1822, and at the time of his death was 81 years and 23 days old. He came to California in 1860, and shortly thereafter settled on the homestead which has been his dwelling place all the subsequent years. His wife preceded him to the grave many years ago. He was of a kindly disposition, and a man of strict integrity of character. He leaves a family of four grown-up children, namely, Thomas H. Geo. L., and John Henry Fullen, all residents of Amador county, and a daughter, Mrs. Robert Robinson, of Grass Valley, Cal. The remains will be taken to San Francisco to-morrow, and the funeral will take place on Monday, at Cypress Lawn cemetery, where his brother John Fullen was buried several years ago.

Died on the Way Home.

Dr. A. N. Robert, a practicing physician and surgeon of Volcano, died on his way home from San Francisco last Tuesday. The deceased went to the city some two weeks ago for medical treatment. That he was a very sick man was known, and to none better than himself. On the trip by train as far as Galt there was nothing to indicate that the end was near. Between Galt and Ione he seemed in a drowsy condition, and this did not alarm the other passengers. When the train reached Ione it was at once noticed that he failed to make any effort to leave his seat. Upon investigation it was found that he was in a stupor, and unconscious. He was taken from the train and placed on a truck, and medical aid summoned. Before a doctor could reach him he had passed away. Coroner Huberty was notified, and held an inquest the same evening. The jury returned a verdict of death from heart failure. No autopsy was made; it was deemed unnecessary. At any rate, without it the jury seemed to be able to reach the above indefinite conclusion.

The remains were embalmed and conveyed to Volcano during Tuesday night, where the funeral will take place to-day.

Deceased was a bright young man, and popular with all classes in the eastern section of the county, where he was mostly known. He had been a practitioner at Volcano for about six years. He leaves a wife and two children in Volcano. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Meet in Regular Session on Monday, May 4th—Bills Allowed, etc.

The board of supervisors met in Jackson Monday, May 4, all the members present.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Petition of American River Electric Company for franchise, right, privilege and permission to erect, construct, maintain and operate along, across, and over public highways and streets of the county of Amador, poles, masts and other superstructure from which to suspend wires and other appliances for the transmission and conduct of electric current was read.

On motion of L. Burke, seconded by W. M. Amick, the following resolution was adopted:

The resolution sets forth that the board is satisfied that it will be for the best interests of the county of Amador to grant the franchise as prayed for to said company provided it is the highest bidder, and that the board intends to grant the application. And whereas it is required by law that the application be advertised in one or more daily papers in the county or district, and there being no daily paper in the county of Amador it was ordered that the publication be made for ten successive days in the Evening Mail, a daily paper published in Stockton, San Joaquin county, and that written tenders will be received by this board for such franchise on the 6th day of June, 1903, on or before 2 o'clock p. m.

Bills were allowed and ordered paid as follows:

CURRENT EXPENSE FUND.

T. K. Norman, board of prison...	62 00
Amador E. & R. Co., lights for jail	3 50
G. A. Grillon, bluejay bounty	3 84
W. G. Ginn, janitor	60 00
G. A. Grillon, coyote bounty	14 00
D. A. G. county health officer	22 05
J. Muldoon, horse hire	5 00
F. M. Parker, nightwatch	10 00
R. I. Kerr, drugs	10 75
C. P. Vicini, traveling expenses	8 00
Patrick & Co., stamps	7 25
Amador County Publishing Co., printing	65 85
Jackson Gaslight Co., gas	13 60
G. M. Huberty, corner fees	16 00
A. McWharty, supplies	12 85
G. A. Grillon, recording, printing	70 00
W. M. Amick, mileage	2 40
E. G. Freeman Co., stationery	19 85
Dr. E. V. Lonigo, examining in-sane	5 00
Amador Dispatch, printing	11 25
A. C. Galt, witness fees	3 30
E. E. Endicott, examining in-sane	5 00
E. B. Moore, mileage	2 80
A. Grillo, mileage	2 40
L. Burke, " "	2 40
Patrick & Co., stamps	2 50
Geo. F. Mack, deputy assessor	125 00
G. A. Gordon, traveling expenses	36 25
Sunset Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	9 70
L. G. Meehan, typewriting	2 50
C. Richtmyer, water	6 00
C. G. Noble, printing	3 00
H. K. Kary, specifications	20 00
A. Carlisle & Co., books	52 60
Amador Record, printing	2 50

HOSPITAL FUND.

A. Cassella, cook	25 00
Jackson Gaslight Co., gas	10 15
Amador E. & R. Co., lights	4 50
E. Ginochio & Bro., allowance to Miss	6 00
E. Ginochio, traveling expenses	20 00
A. M. Galt, county physician	36 25
Eudey & Thomas, meats	84 78
W. Schroeder, digging graves	7 00
A. B. Caminetti, fish and vegetable	27 55
A. C. Barrett, superintendent	50 00
J. N. Mack, cleaning chimneys	5 00
M. J. Turner, washing	7 50
Sunset Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	3 35
C. Richtmyer, water	7 00
E. Ginochio & Bro., clothing	41 10
A. Carlisle & Co., groceries	174 85
Geo. Miller, conveying patient	5 00
Jas. Noe, conveying patient	5 00

SALARY FUND.

Supervisors M. Newman, L. Burke, A. Grillo, W. M. Amick and E. B. Moore, \$25 each as road commissioners.

BRIDGE FUND.

W. M. Amick, labor, etc.

L. Burke, " "

A. Grillo, " "

E. B. Moore, " "

Chris Bergstrom, plows, etc.

ROAD FUND.

M. Newman, dist 1

L. Costa, " "

A. Grillo, " "

E. B. Moore, " "

W. M. Amick, " 2

A. Grillo, " 3

E. B. Moore, " 4

F. B. Le Moine, " 5

J. Wigglesworth, dist 5

Applications for liquor licenses of W. H. Glendon, J. Dalo & Martin Herzog, and M. D. Nixon were read. Applications of M. D. Nixon and W. H. Glendon granted. Applications of J. Dalo and M. Herzog laid over until next meeting.

Application of Battista Bartola for an allowance. A. Caminetti appeared before the board in behalf of said application. Applicant allowed \$6 per month, to be drawn through the county hospital.

Petition of R. W. Ketcham and others for the removal of the present dumping ground which is east of Jackson was read. On motion it was ordered that the use of said premises as a dumping ground be abolished, and that notice to said effect be prepared and posted on said premises.

G. A. Gordon appeared before the board and asked that the school boundary lines between Middle Fork and Clinton and Middle Fork and Milligan school districts be surveyed by the county surveyor, so that the returns taken by the census marshals can be rectified. On motion, matter laid over until next meeting.

Application of Mrs. C. Courtmarsh for liquor license at Central hotel, Jackson, granted.

On motion it was ordered that Mr. and Mrs. Martin be allowed the sum of \$6 each per month, in provisions, same to be purchased by and through the superintendent of county hospital.

Petition of Geo. Yager and others for the appointment of J. E. Kelly as constable in township 2, was read. Motion carried.

Petition of H. D. Calvin and others for the appointment of T. S. Tuttle as constable in township 4. Laid over until next meeting.

Petition of D. B. Pardoe and others for the construction of a bridge across Mokelumne river read. Laid over until next meeting.

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Notice to Creditors.
ESTATE OF HENRY CREGLOW, DECEASED.
NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Henry Creglow, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at the law office of J. W. Caldwell, Court Street, Jackson, Amador County, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said county of Amador.

Delinquent Sale Notice.
KENNEDY MINING AND MILLING COMPANY.
Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, Cal.
Location of works, Jackson, Amador County, California.

Notice for Publication.
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
LAND OFFICE AT SACRAMENTO, CAL.
April 1, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to claim land in support of his claim, and that said land will be made before Richard Webb, U. S. Commissioner, at Jackson, Cal., on Saturday, May 2, 1903, viz: Joseph T. Ford for the S. E. 1/4 Sec. 11, T. 3 S., R. 14 E., M. D. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: John Jones, of Leno, Amador Co., Cal.; Henry Grelich, of Plymouth, Amador Co., Cal.; Edward Grelich, of Plymouth, Amador Co., Cal.; Chas. H. Henderson, of Leno, Amador Co., Cal.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate at Private Sale.
In the Superior Court of the County of El Dorado, State of California.
In the matter of the estate of Josiah Gambin, deceased.

UNDER authority of an order of sale granted by the Superior Court of the County of El Dorado, State of California, dated April 6, 1903, I will sell at private sale the following described real estate:

An undivided one-eighth interest of, in and to that certain quartz mining claim commonly known as and called the Green Quartz Mining claim, in the Plymouth or Puckerville Mining District, in the County of Amador, State of California. The sale will be made on and after the SIXTEENTH day of MAY, 1903, and bids will be received at the office of George H. Ingham, Esq., in the court house, at the city of Placerville, county of El Dorado, State of California.

Terms of sale—Cash, gold coin of the United States.
Dated May 1st, 1903.
JOHN KOHLERT,
Executor of the last will and testament of Josiah Gambin, deceased.
George H. Ingham,
Attorney for Executor. my1-3t

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IN THE STOKHOLD.

Feeding the Many Ravenous Furnaces in an Ocean Liner.

The work of eternally pushing the old ship on past the meridians—the race against time and the sun and the interest on the money—begins in the gloomy stokehold. You have heard that the stokehold is hot, and when you have clambered into it over discordant piles of still smoking ashes, cowering yourself by faking incantations hold of burning rail, and stand for the first time face to face with the furnaces you feel assured of the fact.

But, besides being hot, it is the most active, interesting part of the ship. It is her whole life. You must spend years studying it before you can stand there in command of your watch with your hand on the feed check valves, your eyes on everything in general, and keep the steer up where it belongs in spite of the ravenous engines sucking it away from you years before you can tell, in one swift glance, whether a fireman is burning the greatest possible amount of coal per hour in his fires with the least amount of waste.

The problem is this: Under a certain large quantity of water, which is continually changing, build thirty fires, and by means of them, notwithstanding they must all be continually replenished with fresh coal and freed from ashes, keep it at a perfectly even temperature (within a very few degrees) day and night for an indefinite period. The game is the more interesting because a ship can never afford to spare more than just barely enough space for her propelling machinery; consequently everything—engines, boilers, furnaces—must be worked to the very limit of its capacity.

The game goes as regularly by turns as in checkers and progress to whist. Starting with a few fires first in order, the doors are opened to admit a few shovelfuls of coal thrown quickly into the front of the furnaces, then closed again as soon as possible lest too much cold air should enter. As soon as they are closed the fires next in order are served the same way and then a third group. Next the "green" coal in the first fires is raked back through the furnaces to complete its combustion.

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